

## Message Text

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TO AMEMBASSY BEIRUT

INFO AMEMBASSY DAMASCUS

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EPAP, LE

SUBJECT: TRADE COMPLAINT: CLAIMS BY U.S. COMPANIES  
AGAINST THE TOBACCO REGIE

REF: BEIRUT 2630

U.S. LEAF COMPANIES TELL US THAT DAGHER'S ASSURANCES IN  
HIS JUNE LETTER TO THE CONTRARY THEY STILL HAVE SEEN NO  
SIGN OF PAYMENT PROMISED BY THE REGIE. ANYTHING THE  
EMBASSY CAN REPORT TO EFFECT THAT THE CHECK IS IN THE MAIL  
WOULD BE HELPFUL. CHRISTOPHER

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## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 01-Jan-1994 12:00:00 am  
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